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FOLLOWING REPEAT GENEVA 5951 SENT ACTION SECSTATE INFO TEHRAN

FRANKFURT ROME ATHENS VIENNA KUWAIT DTD 25 JUL 75

QUOTE:

C O N F I D E N T I A L

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SREF

SUBJECT: KURDKISH REFUGEES

REF: STATE 174054

1. MISSION OFFICER DISCUSSED KURDISH REFUGEE PROBLEM WITH UNHCR AND FOUND ATTITUDE TO BE POSITIVE. HCR BELIEVES OFFICE CAN MAKE ARRANGEMENTS DISCUSSED PARA 5 REFTEL BUT BELIEVES HE WILL HAVE SOME DIFFICULTY REACHING AGREEMENT ON READMISSION OF REFUGEES WITHIN TWO YEARS. THE PROBLEM COULD POSSIBLY BE RESOLVED IF IRAN WOULD PERMIT REENTRY AND HCR WILL EXPLORE POSSIBILITY ON BASIS THAT HCR IS ASSISTING IRAN IN REMOVING REFUGEES AND THAT RISK OF REENTRY IS MINOR.

2. HCR BELIEVES IT WOULD BE EASIER TO DISCUSS MATTER WITH IRAN IF REASONABLE ESTIMATES WERE AVAILABLE. THEIR OWN COUNT
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STANDS AT 880 FAMILIES (1400 PEOPLE) WHO ARE CLASSIFIED AS

INTERLECTUALS AND WHOM IRAN DESIRES TO REMOVE AT EARLIEST
POSSIBLE DATE.

3. AS SOON AS UPDATED ESTIMATE FROM TEHRAN IS RECEIVED,
WILL CONTINUE TO PURSUE MATTER WITH UNHCR.DALE UNQUOTE
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